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SRI V. R. KRISHNA AYYAR : While I am quite aware and I have had experience of the distribution of this milk powder without reference to caste, creed, colour or religion, there were objections here and there that political poison was mixed up with this. Would the Government have an eye on this and supervise the distribution?

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY : We shall have to start a new research centre to see whether any political poison is inter-mixed in such gift articles.

SRI P. RAMAMURTHI : Sir, the ghee itself is called "ghee oil". It is a combination of ghee and oil and the colour of the ghee oil is reddish . . . .

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : That is dangerous . . .

SRI P. RAMAMURTHI : It is manufactured in a country where the people are never in the habit of using ghee. In view of these things will the Government investigate what exactly the substance is. (Interruption.) I have not tasted that ghee. Will the Government investigate and assure the people that its contents are quite good?

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY : So far as my information goes there is no such thing as "ghee oil".

SRI P. RAMAMURTHI : It is butter oil.

Naicken canal in Malampuzha Project

* 2598 *Q.*—SRI M. NARAYANA KURUP : Will the Hon. the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Government have received the report from the Collector of Malabar regarding the arrangements made for the distribution of water from Naicken Canal of the Malampuzha Project; and

(*b*) if so, what they are?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : (*a*) & (*b*) The answer [a] is laid on the table of the House.

Government Estate, Madras

* 2599 *Q.*—SRI P. B. K. RAJACHIDAMBARAM (on behalf of Sri M. Manickasundaram) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state—

(*a*) the date on which Government Estate was handed over by the Governor of Madras to the Government for management by the Public Works Department; and

(*b*) the conditions and purpose for which the Government Estate was handed over by the Governor?

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[a] Printed as Appendix III on pages 680–681 infra.